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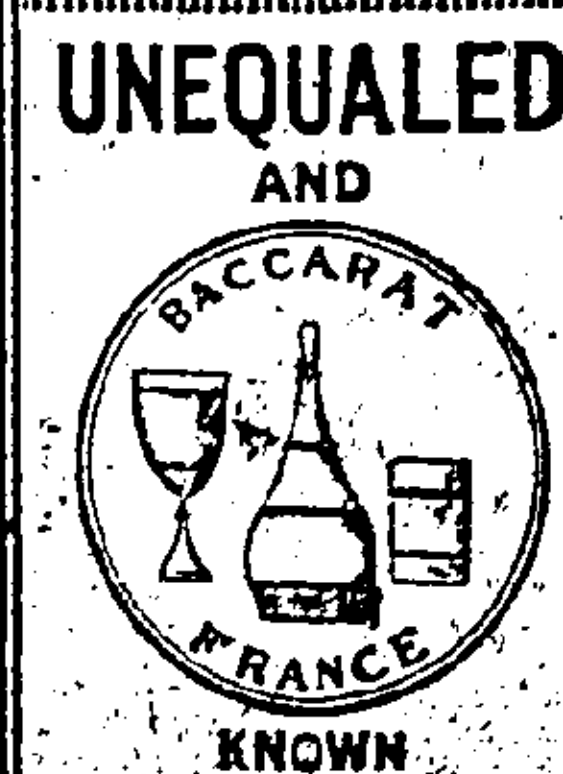
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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

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### INDIAN BUDGET SAVINGS.

#### DEMOCRATIC PARTY RELENTLESS.

FIFTY FIVE LAKHS CUT IN TWO DAYS.

DELHI, March 15.

In accordance with the policy it has adopted for a collective reduction of 5 per cent on each item in the budget, leaving the Government to settle the exact direction in which the saving can be effected, the Democratic Party in the assembly to-day continued the cutting process.

Reductions of 5 per cent were carried for salt, opium, land revenue, and stamps. The forestry estimates alone were spared. There was a strong demand that stamps should be manufactured in India instead of England.

Mr. Gaur said the Democrats would continue their policy unless they received an undertaking that the Government would carry out a total reduction of 5 per cent in all civil departments.

After a brisk discussion in which Indianisation of the railways was strongly urged, the Assembly reduced the railway vote by 25 lakhs, with the consent of the Government, and the telegraph and postal vote by ten lakhs.

The total reduction during the two days' debates amounts to 55 lakhs.

### BRITISH NAVAL ECONOMY.

#### LIMIT DECLARED REACHED.

"THINGS SCRAPED TO THE BONE."

LONDON, March 16.

In the House of Commons, Lieut-Col. Adery, Parliamentary Secretary of the Admiralty, introducing a vote account of the Navy estimates, dwelt on the "value" of the Washington conference as showing increasing capacity of the British Empire to give united effect to a single policy. He repudiated the suggestion of the Geddes committee that £21,000,000, pre-Washington expenditure could have been saved this year and that the Navy was over-manned, declaring that the present system of manning was absolutely essential to efficiency. The total reduction in the estimates effected was £15,000,000 and the savings resulting from the Washington Conference amounted to £15,200,000.

Lieut. Col. Amery added that things had been scraped to the bone and it was impossible to go further; "we wished to drop into the rank of a second or third rate power which our duty to our fellow subjects in the Empire forbade."

### HOME ENGINEERING LOCKOUT.

#### INQUIRY COURT REQUEST.

GOVERNMENT AWAITING BALLOT RESULT.

LONDON, March 17.

Replying to a Labour deputation, Mr. Austen Chamberlain said that the Government was unable to grant a court of enquiry into the engineering lockout until the result of the ballot of the other union was known.

### HOSTILE CROWD.

#### REMARKABLE YAMATI INCIDENT.

Following an alleged assault by an Indian constable on a fruit hawker in Shanghai Street, a serious disturbance occurred outside the Yamati Police Station on Wednesday night when a crowd of angry Chinese surrounded the station and demanded the person of the Indian for punishment. This demand, of course, was summarily rejected, and Inspector Willis sent the station interpreter out to exhort the crowd to disperse, assuming that an enquiry would be held into the alleged assault upon the Indian and that the Indian would be punished if found guilty. The interpreter's efforts were met with a flow of abuse from the crowd. When a Chinese sergeant was sent out to help pacify the crowd, it dragged him into their midst and would have man-handled him had not four of his comrades rescued him. The crowd continued to be unruly and the Inspector had no alternative but to order the door of the station to be barred and all the windows closed. This was the signal for a regular bombardment of the station with stones, bricks and other missiles, smashing windows and

many panes of glass. As the situation was becoming serious, messages were sent to Hongkong and to Mr. King at Tsimshatsui for assistance. In the meantime the crowd continued to clamour for the surrender of the Indian, and when Mr. King arrived with strong posse of armed men, much talk and persuasion was necessary before the trouble abated and the crowd dispersed about 11 p.m. The police did not make any arrests.

Lord Northcliffe's descriptive letters from Japa make no mention of the Waterloo memorial at Batavia. This is worthy of notice, states *Manchester Guardian*, for the inscription, "in counter to two and that the Indian would be generally accepted beliefs—that the Battle of Waterloo was fought on June 18, 1815, and that Wellington and his army were mainly responsible for the victory. The Batavia memorial is inscribed to the perpetual memory of that most famous day, June 20, 1815, on which, by the revolution and activity of the Belgians and their famous General, William Frederick, the door of the station to be barred and all the windows closed. This was the signal for a regular bombardment of the station with stones, bricks and other missiles, smashing windows and

### SOUTH AFRICA'S WAR OVER.

#### RETURN TO THE NORMAL.

NEARLY 6,000 REBELS CAPTURED.

PRETORIA, March 16.

A communique states that although the revolution has been effectively crushed, small isolated Red detachments continue a certain amount of sniping in desperate efforts to escape the law.

Only police action was needed to-day to clear Jeppe and other places. Everyone is talking business as usual here.

The committee of public safety has requested all employers and work people to resume immediately. Some 250 workmen promptly responded at the East Rand proprietary mines alone.

It is expected that the train service at the Rand will be normal to-morrow.

PRETORIA, March 16.

Except for a few who escaped all the revolutionaries have been taken prisoner, totalling upwards of 6,000.

### REPARATION PAYMENTS.

#### AMERICA'S DEMAND EXPLAINED.

WASHINGTON, March 16.

It is authoritatively announced that the Government's demand that \$241,000,000 for Rhineland occupation expenses must be paid before reparations are allocated was merely aimed at allied recognition of the right of the United States for a share in the German reparation payments. The Government does not intend to press for payment.

### BITTER FRENCH CARTOON.

PARIS, March 16.

The feeling excited by the American note is indicated by a cartoon in the *Figaro* representing Germany pouring gold from a sack and an American soldier grabbing the gold and pushing back the figure of France. The words beneath the cartoon are: "Lafayette did not foresee this."

### BERTHELOT RETIRED.

#### FRENCH BANK INCIDENT.

PARIS, March 16.

A ministerial decree places M. Philippe Berthelot on the retired list for ten years.

M. Philippe Berthelot was accused of having endeavoured by independent action when Secretary-General of the Foreign Ministry to save the Banque Industrielle de Chine.

### DUTCH INDIES LOAN.

LONDON, March 16.

The Dutch Indies loan of which the Guaranty Trust Company has arranged to purchase \$10,000,000, is being issued at a price of 94½ with interest at 6 per cent. It is redeemable at the option of the Indies Government between 1932 and 1962.

### SMALL POX AT MADRAS.

MADRAS, March 16.

Small pox is prevalent at Madras and some upcountry stations.

### DR. SCHURMAN'S VISIT.

#### LUNCHEON WITH CANTON'S FOREIGN MINISTER.

The veteran diplomat, Dr. Wu Ting-fang, entertained Dr. Schurman at luncheon yesterday in the New Bureau of Foreign Affairs building. Dr. Wu and Dr. Schurman are friends of long acquaintance and the *Canton Times*, having often spoken from the platform in the United States when Dr. Wu was Minister at Washington. At the luncheon Dr. Wu entertained his guests by relating some of his most interesting experiences in Peking under the late Empress Dowager.

Dr. Schurman was entertained at dinner in the Hotel Asia on Wednesday night by the American Association. The American Consul, Mr. Houston, presided and over two hundred Chinese and Americans were present.

Dr. Schurman delivered an address on the Washington Conference and what China had gained there. Dr. Wu Ting-fang made a characteristic speech in the course of which he advanced the claims of his government for foreign recognition. Mayor Sun also spoke briefly upon the subject of Municipal Government under Commission form. Commissioner Frank W. Lee made a few remarks upon the Washington Conference.

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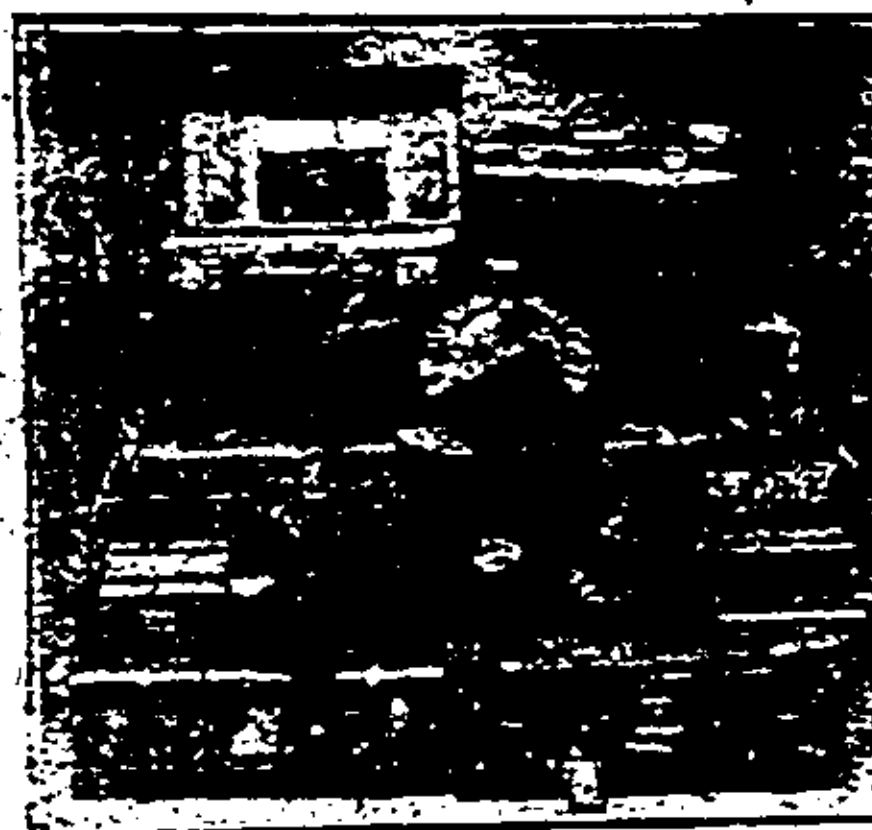
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## SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED  
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## ENTERTAINMENT.

March 17.—Cortez Theatre,  
George Arliss in "The Devil,"  
and Larry Semon in "The Sailor."  
Hongkong Theatre, Dorothy Phillips  
in "Once to Every Woman." World  
Theatre, "Madonnas and Men." Kow-  
loon Theatre, Wanda Hawley in  
"Food for Scandal."

March 21.—Prof. Danenberg's  
pupils piano recital. City Hall 5.30  
p.m.

March 23.—Prof. Danenberg's  
pupils piano recital. City Hall 5.30  
p.m.

March 27.—Mr. Harry Ore's piano  
recital. City Hall, 5.30 p.m.

## SPORTING EVENTS.

March 30.—Hongkong Boxing  
Association, novices' tournament.  
Theatre Royal.

March 31.—Hongkong Boxing  
Association, novices' tournament.  
Theatre Royal.

April 1.—Hongkong Boxing Association,  
novices' tournament. Finals,  
featherweight and middle-weight  
championships. Theatre Royal.

## SOCIAL EVENTS.

March 18.—Ex-Active Service Men's  
Association re-union dinner. Hong-  
kong Hotel, 8 p.m.

March 20.—St. Andrew's Church  
day of help.

## PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

March 18.—Hughes and Hough,  
117 bags of sulphur. Sales Rooms,  
noon.

March 20.—Public Works Depart-  
ment, one lot of Crown land area  
7,200 sq. ft., at Nathan Road, Kow-  
loon, (upset price \$10,800), and  
another lot of Crown land area 7,800  
sq. ft. at Ma Tau Kok (upset price  
\$1,550). P.W.D. Offices, 3 p.m.

March 20.—Lammert Bros., house-  
hold furniture. No. 2 Canton Villas,  
Kimberly Road, Kowloon, 2.45 p.m.

March 20.—Hughes and Hough,  
household furniture. No. 49 the  
Peak, 11 a.m.

March 20.—Hughes and Hough,  
obsolete British colonial and foreign  
stamps. Sales Rooms, 5 p.m.

March 21.—Hughes and Hough,  
household furniture, also a piano.  
Sales Rooms, 2.30 p.m.

March 25.—Hughes and Hough,  
household furniture. No. 102, the  
Peak, 10.30 a.m.

## COMPANY MEETINGS.

March 20.—Hongkong and Wham-  
poa Dock Co., Ltd., ordinary yearly  
meeting of shareholders. No. 2  
Queen's Building, noon.

March 20.—Humphreys Estate and  
Finance Co., Ltd., extraordinary  
general meeting, Hongkong Hotel,  
11.30 a.m.

March 29.—China Sugar Refining  
Co., Ltd., 44th ordinary annual meet-  
ing. Offices of the general agents,  
Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.,  
11 a.m.

March 31.—Hongkong Fire In-  
surance Co., Ltd., 53rd ordinary  
general meeting. General Managers  
Office, noon.

## OTHER MEETINGS.

March 20.—British Legion, ex-  
traordinary general meeting. City  
Hall, 5.30 p.m.

March 22.—Kowloon Residents'  
Association, annual general meeting,  
St. Andrew's Hall, Kowloon, 8 p.m.

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of romance.

There are many moving stories of  
the relations of the force with such  
famous Indian chiefs as Sitting Bull,  
Crow Foot, and Red Cow.  
Colonel MacLeod found the chiefs  
very intelligent men, and he described  
in some detail the stately ceremony  
with which they conducted the inter-  
views with him. They first took the  
pipe of peace, and each of them after  
smoking for a few seconds passed it  
on to his neighbour. MacLeod then  
explained the friendly attitude of the  
Canadian Government and the pro-  
posal to make treaty agreements with  
them.

"The chiefs in reply gave unstinted  
praise to the police. One of their  
number, in the graphic way in which  
they gesture in accord with what they  
are saying, crouched down and moved  
along with difficulty. Then standing  
up, he walked with head held high  
and said: 'Before you came the  
Indian had to creep along not know-  
ing what would attack him, but now  
he is not afraid to walk erect.'"

## CONTENT FOR DANGER.

As to the gallantry of the force,  
and its contempt for danger, there is  
little doubt.

Sergeant Wilde, of Pincher Creek,  
had trailed a murderous Indian known  
as Charcoal into the foothills, and on  
sighting him spurred away ahead of  
his men. Charcoal led a rifle, but  
Wilde would not fire, and pressed on  
to make the arrest. When Wilde  
rode up to him Charcoal wheeled in  
his saddle and shot him. He sent  
another shot into his body as he lay  
on the ground.

A pathetic incident took place on  
the day of Wilde's funeral. A

favourite hound that always kept  
guard over Wilde refused to allow the  
bearers to remove the body, and had  
to be shot before the cortege could  
proceed. It was a pity to have to do  
this drastic thing, but the loyal and  
devoted dog would no doubt have  
died in any case from a broken heart."

The coming of the Canadian Pacific  
Railway brought new difficulties for the  
mounted police, and in a few years  
revolutionised the life of the West.  
Many of the earliest colonists regret-  
ted the passing of the quiet days of  
their pioneer life. There were others,  
too, who had lived on the frontiers  
and had been a law unto themselves  
who said, like the trader who saw  
three wooden shacks built where  
Calgary now stands, "I am going to  
move back, this is getting too civilised  
for me."

And such men as said this had to  
be made to realise by the mounted  
police the presence of government.

One achievement of the police was  
their persuading of the Indians to  
abandon their barbaric sun-dance.  
The Sun dance lodge was a circular  
wooden structure, from which hooks  
were suspended on thongs of leather.  
The braves danced furiously round  
the lodge in a frenzy of excitement,  
fastening the hooks in their skin and  
thus lacerating themselves till some-  
times they fainted away. This ordeal  
was an annual affair regarded as a  
preparation for war. With many  
other pagan customs of the war-tribes  
it is now a thing of the past.

A graphic description is given in  
the book of the Yukon gold rush, the  
incredible hardships suffered by the  
prospectors, and the dangerous work  
of the Mounted Police in discouraging  
the gamblers, gamblers, thieves, and  
criminals of almost every type who  
hoped to find ready victims in the  
gold country.

One notorious gunman and gambler  
known as "Soapy Smith," was about  
to be arrested by a United States  
marshal near the border when he  
levelled his gun. The marshal did  
likewise. Both fired and both fell  
dead.

Many of the descriptions of how  
police patrols took up the trail of  
murderers over hundreds of miles of  
wild country are equal to anything in  
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**Hughes & Hough**  
AUCTIONEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT  
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Coal Contractors  
General Brokers.  
**PUBLIC AUCTIONS**

**FORTHCOMING SALE:**  
SATURDAY, 25th inst. 102, The Peak.  
MONDAY, 20th, 49,  
Particulars to follow.

G. R.  
By order of the Registrar Supreme Court.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

**SATURDAY,**  
March 18, 1922, at 12 noon,  
at their Sales Rooms,  
No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner  
of Ice House Street,  
117 Bags of Sulphur,  
Stored in Kung On Godown,  
165, Cornsight Road.  
Terms:—Cash.  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.  
Hongkong, March 15, 1922.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),  
OR

**MONDAY,**  
March 20, 1922, at 11 a.m.,  
at No. 49, The Peak

Valuable Household Furniture,  
etc., etc.

Comprising:—  
Dining Room Suite, Large Sideboard,  
Dinner Wagon, Writing Desk, Settees,  
Arm-chairs, Brass Bedsteads, Dressing  
Tables, Wardrobes, Carpets, and Kitchen  
Utensils, etc., etc.  
On view day before sale.  
Terms:—Cash on delivery.  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),  
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**MONDAY,**  
March 20, 1922, at 5 p.m.,  
at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
Ice House Street.

A Valuable Collection of

Obsolete British Colonial and  
Foreign Postage Stamps,  
made up in unusually large lots.  
Catalogues will be issued.  
On view from 13th inst.  
Terms:—Cash on delivery.  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),  
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**TUESDAY,**  
March 21, 1922, commencing at  
2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms,  
No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
Ice House Street.

**TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD**

**FURNITURE, BRASS AND TEAK-**

**WOOD TWIN BEDSTEADS, CARPETS,**

Comprising:—  
Dining Suites, Chesterfield Sofas,  
Arm-chairs (new), Card and Occasional  
Tables, Teakwood Twin Bedsteads,  
large and small Wardrobes, Dressing  
Tables and Chairs, Washstands &c.,  
(named Teakwood), Sideboards, Dinner  
Wagons, Dinner Services, Crockery,  
& Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Cutlery,  
&c., Electro-plated Ware.

Electric Reading Lamps, Screens,  
Sundry Blackwood Furniture, Chairs,  
Cabinets, Pictures.

Also  
1 Piano by Rocking.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue).  
Terms: Cash on delivery.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, March 16, 1922.

THE Undersigned have received  
instructions from Col. S.  
HUMPHREYS, to sell by Public  
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**SATURDAY,**  
March 25, 1922, at 10.30 a.m.,  
at No. 102, The Peak.

Valuable Household Furniture,  
and Sundries.

Comprising:—  
Settees, Arm-chairs, Old Blackwood  
Side Table, Wall Plaques from Im-  
perial Palace, Lacquered Tables,  
Embroidered Silk Fire Screens,  
Tinted Carpets, Axminster Rugs,  
Gramophone and Records, Dining  
Room Chairs, Blackwood M.T.  
Oblong Tables, Blackwood Wardrobe,  
White Enamel Bedroom Suites in-  
cluding Double Wardrobes, Chertal  
Glass Dressing Tables, Sundry Glass  
and China, and Kitchen Utensils.

On view 18 and 19 inst.  
Terms:—Cash on delivery.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
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Hongkong, March 15, 1922.

**WANT**  
**ADVERTISEMENTS**  
35 WORDS 3 INSERTIONS.  
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Every additional word 4 Cents  
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**WANTED.**—Position by a  
BRITISHER, 16 years in the  
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Sound Eastern experience. Not afraid  
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**TO LET.**

**ROOMS TO RENT** in the Carlton  
Hotel. Apply Hotel.

**TO LET—3 NEW OFFICE ROOMS.**  
In Central locality from 1st April.  
Apply SANG KEE, c/o Comptroller  
Department, Hongkong & Shanghai  
Bank—Des Vaux Road entrance.

**TO LET—ONE FOUR-ROOMED.**  
Furnished Flat in Kowloon.  
(With Flush System). Possession 1st  
April. Apply to "L" c/o "China  
Mail."

**PUBLIC AUCTIONS.**

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**PARTICULARS** and Conditions of the  
letting by Public Auction Sale, to be  
held on **MONDAY**, the 20th day of  
March, 1922, at 3 p.m., at the Office  
of the Public Works Department, by  
Order of His Excellency the Governor,  
of one Lot of CROWN LAND at Nathan  
Road, in the Colony of Hongkong,  
for a term of 75 years, with the  
option of renewal at a Crown Rent  
to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty  
the King, for one further term of 75 years.

**PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.**

No. of Lots	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Acres	Annual Rent	Upset Price
1	Locality.	N. S. E. W.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	£ s. d.
1	Lot 1, Nathan Road, Hongkong.	As per sale plan.	about 1.000	£ 100

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),  
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**HUMPHREYS ESTATE &  
FINANCE CO., LTD.**

**NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an  
Extraordinary General Meeting of  
Humphreys Estate and Finance Co.,  
Ltd. will be held at the Hongkong  
Hotel on Monday, the 20th day of  
March 1922, at 11.30 a.m., when the  
subjoined resolutions which were  
passed at an Extraordinary General  
Meeting of shareholders held on  
Friday the 3rd day of March 1922  
will be submitted for confirmation as  
special resolutions.

1. That Article 105 of this  
Company's Articles of Association be  
altered as follows:

(a) By the insertion of "\$10,000"  
in the place of "\$8,000" in the fifth  
line thereof.

(b) By striking out in the ninth  
and tenth lines thereof the words  
"for each financial year of the Company"

and inserting in place thereof the  
words "in every year wherein such  
profits shall not exceed in the  
aggregate the sum of \$150,000, and a  
commission of ten per cent, per  
annum on all the net profits of the  
Company in excess of that sum."

2. That the above Resolution  
(No. 1) to be retrospective and take  
effect from the 1st day of January,  
1922.

Dated 3rd day of March, 1922.

By order of the Board,  
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.

**NOTICE.**

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA  
DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of  
Shareholders will be held in the  
Office of the Company, 2 Queen's  
Buildings, Hongkong, on MONDAY,  
20th March 1922, at noon, for con-  
sideration of the Director's Report and  
Statement of Accounts for the year  
ending 31st December, 1921.

The Share Register and Transfer  
Books will be CLOSED from the 11th  
to the 20th March, 1922, (both days  
inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
R. M. DYER,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 6, 1922.

**BRITISH LEGION.**

(Hongkong and China Branch.)

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING will be held at the  
City Hall, on MONDAY, 20th March  
1922, at 5.30 p.m. for the purpose of  
electing Officers and Committee for the  
current year.

E. K. HOLMES,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, March 14, 1922.

**CHINA SUGAR REFINING  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**NOTICE.**

THE Forty-fourth Ordinary Annual  
Meeting of the Shareholders of  
the above Company will be held at  
the Office of the General Agents, Poddar  
Street, on WEDNESDAY the 29th  
March at 11 a.m. for the purpose of  
receiving the Report and Statement of  
Accounts for the year ending 31st  
December 1921.

The Transfer Books of the Company  
will be closed from the 15th to 29th  
March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE MATHESON & CO. LTD.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, March 10, 1922.

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

THE FIFTY-THIRD ORDINARY  
GENERAL MEETING of Share-  
holders will be held at the Office of the  
undersigned on FRIDAY, the 31st  
March, 1922, at Noon, for the purpose  
of receiving the Report of the General  
Managers, together with a statement of  
Accounts for the year ended the 31st  
December, 1921.

The Share Register and Transfer  
Books will be CLOSED from the 17th  
to the 31st March 1922, both days  
inclusive.

JARDINE MATHESON & CO., LTD.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 13, 1922.

**THE KWONG KWUI CO.**

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**SPECIAL DEPARTMENT.**

DEVELOPING & PRINTING FOR  
AMATEURS.

**TAI KOON YUEN.**

RESTAURANT.

127, Queen's Road East,  
Wanchai.

Cheong to Spring Garden Lane, Hongkong.

**NOTICE.**

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Buildings, 1 Des Vaux Road, Hong-  
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the other vessels owned by me, I have  
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Act 1894, in respect of the ship  
"HISTORIAN" of Hongkong, official  
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tons, register tonnage 4,412 tons,  
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to change her name to "ARABESTAN"  
and to have her registered in the new  
name at the port of Hongkong as owned  
by me.

Any objection to the proposed  
change of name must be sent to the  
Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong  
within seven days of the appearance of  
this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong, this Tenth day  
of March, 1922.

H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

**NOTICE.**

VISIT OF H. R. H. THE PRINCE  
OF WALES.

RECEPTION AND BALL.

THE Invitation Sub-Committee are in  
course of preparing a list of resi-  
dents to be invited to the above  
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SATURDAY, 18th March to the  
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Union Insurance Society of Canton  
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**NOTICE.**

PRIZE UNCLAIMED AT S.P.C.A. BALL.

Feb. 20th, Number 0122. Holder  
send ticket to Government House  
before March 21st, or prize will be  
raffed.

**JAMES TOTTEN SHAW  
DECEASED.**

ALL claims against the estate of the  
above named deceased must be  
sent to the undersigned forthwith.

JOHNSON, STORES & MASTER,  
Prince's Building.

Hongkong, March 13, 1922.

**NOTICE.**

CUSTOMERS are requested to use  
their Pass Books when ordering  
provisions &c. Orders written on slips  
of paper will not be accepted in future.

THE DAIRY FARM ICE & COLD  
STORAGE CO., LTD.

Hongkong, March 11, 1922.

**MADAME LOTTIE GORDON.**

L. A. B., of R. A. M. and R. C. M.  
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Prospectus can be obtained.

**CITY HALL.**

Debussy—Scriabin Recital.

(Advertised for March 13.)  
to be given by  
HARRY ORE,  
on MONDAY, March 20,  
at 5.30 p.m.

Booking at Anderson's.

**FRENCH LESSONS**

G. ROUSSEAU

15, Macleod Street, Kowloon.

## NAVAL "COLOURS."

### NAME-SAKES TRADITIONS TO BE CARRIED ON.



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## WATSON'S DRY GINGER ALE

Its dryness and aroma are features which give this drink the popularity it deserves.

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50, Des Voeux Road, CENTRAL.

## The China Mail.

"JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1922.

## CURSE CURZON.

There is more than one point of view to take of Indian problems, and the fact that they are being taken, and each championed as the only correct view to take, makes the biggest problem of them all. But of Nathaniel Lord Curzon there is only one view that can be consistently held by any faithful observer of his career. He is a political brontosaurus. That is not an attempt to call him a great man, for to us he seems great only in his littleness, and in his inflexible self-satisfaction with his own littleness. We call him a diplomat rather than a diplomat because he is such an anachronistic figure. He is an antediluvian who has survived the deluge, and whose antics must be as embarrassing to modern man as a five mammoth would be to the curators at the British Museum. He is more Bourbons than the Bourbons, in his attitude to learning and remembering. His memory of the dead past is so lively that he thinks of it as the living present, and his notion of the living present is that of an infant playing with a box of matches at the porch of a powder mine. He probably remembers the period of 1914-1918 chiefly as one in which the price of waistcoats went up. That there has been a Great War which caused a few important changes, seems to have escaped his august notice. It is such men as he who will disrupt our Empire, if it ever is disrupted. "Violent revolutionists with bombs are less dangerous than

these viciously inert reactionaries, who oppose to the wholesome and natural adaptations of evolution the passive obstruction of mere bulk, like a fat woman at a ticket window, wondering whether she ought to look now or go back home and make sure that she fed the canary. One of the regrets of the war was a feeling that the outlying constituents of the empire had done so well for the imperial cause that in future each of them must have (Curzon would put it "must be allowed") a larger "say," a bigger share in deciding imperial policy, especially where parts of it might involve their interests. This was so obviously just that no one disputed it. Probably a search among the contemporary speeches of Nathaniel the Super Statesman would discover that he joined in it. Anyway, it was generally conceded that the time had come when the tail should no longer wag the dog. Canada and Australia spoke very plainly about it. Incidentally the contribution of India in the empire's hour of need was rather handsomely acknowledged, and it was especially mentioned by responsible talkers like David the First that India should receive due consideration. India seems to have taken all these professions as sincere in intention, and to have acted upon them when the time came, thereby grievously shocking Lord Curzon. Behold this brontosaurus's description of an ordinary turbine steamer, as rendered. "That I," he writes to "dear Montagu," "that I should be asked to go to the Conference in Paris while a subordinate branch of the British Government, six thousand miles away, dictates to the British Government what line he thinks I ought to pursue in Thrace, seems to me quite intolerable." It would. It would seem to the Superior Diplomat almost as great a piece of impudence

as the British elector's idea that he should have something to say about his own foreign policy. To Curzon the great realm of India is merely "a subordinate branch, six thousand miles away." The Dominions will be to him other branches, more or less subordinate. Downing Street is the trunk of the tree, unless, perhaps, the little finger of George Nathaniel Curzon already appears to him to be that. We observe that Curzon's speech to the Lords was headlined as "scathing." Were it not that it involves a tragedy, we would have called it a comic bit of bumbledom.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A Chinese was knocked down by a truck opposite the Macao wharf, yesterday. His leg was fractured.

A contractor's coolie received injuries to his face while blasting rocks on the reclamation near the No. 8 railway bridge, yesterday.

Sir William Brunyate, Vice Chancellor of Hongkong University, distributes the prizes at St. Paul's College to-morrow evening.

A telegram has been received from Sir Godfrey Thomas, the Prince's Secretary, approving the arrangements planned by the Hongkong committee.

If you intend to illuminate your office or home for the Prince's visit, but have not yet ordered your lanterns, you should follow the directions given by an advertisement in this issue.

Jumping off a moving tram car opposite the Wellington Barracks, a postman was knocked down by motor car No. 327 which was unable to stop in time to avoid an accident. The postman was injured in the head and legs.

A fire broke out in a contractor's matchbox on the new road at Totowan, Stanley, yesterday. Helped by a strong breeze, the flames spread rapidly to four other matchboxes. All five were burned to the ground before the brigade could arrive.

Mr. O.T. Breakspear, the Manager of the Publicity Bureau for South China, is leaving for Home by the "City of Simla" towards the end of the present month. The work of the Bureau will be carried on by Capt. A.G. McClay who has recently arrived. During the past three years Mr. Breakspear has been the Hon. Corresponding Secretary for the Overseas Club in the Colony, and Mr. Eric Rice has consented to take over these duties in the meantime.

Passengers on the "City of Manchester," had the privilege, while the vessel was steaming up from Port Swettenham of witnessing the remarkable spectacle of a group of eight waterports travelling at a tremendous speed at some distance from the ship. Waterports occur frequently in tropical and semi tropical seas but they have also been observed in the seas of the temperate zone. These atmospheric disturbances have been seen in groups of eight or nine before but their occurrence in that formation is rare, and as far as is known has never been seen in the temperate seas.

## MERCHANT ROBBED.

## DES VOEUX ROAD WEST HOLD-UP.

A Connaught Road West rice merchant was proceeding to Bonham Strand in his private ricksha about 8.30 last night, when he was stopped at the corner of Des Voeux Road West and Wilmer Street by four or five men. One of the men threw pepper into his eyes, while two others dragged him roughly out of the ricksha. The robbers stole a wallet containing \$146 in notes. One of them tried to snatch his gold watch and chain but did not succeed. The merchant blew his police whistle and the robbers made off.

## "FOOD FOR SCANDAL"

## KOWLOON THEATRE'S BRIGHT COMEDY.

Love and laughter predominate in "Food for Scandal," Realart's comedy from the stage play "Beverly's Balance" which comes to the Kowloon Theatre this evening. The audacity and mischief of a young woman of aristocratic family who joins the chorus to retrieve her fallen fortunes and finds herself the central figure in a furor an indirect (re-) creation, provide the main fun in this diverting story. Further fun is caused when the young woman attempts to secure a law business for her lover, a poor young attorney, engaged to act as correspondent in a society divorce case. The complications that follow make a clever and amusing story. "Food for Scandal" is also food for enjoyment.

## SPECIAL CABLE.

[China Mail Special.]

## INSANE BARBER.

## CUSTOMER ATTACKED WITH KNIFE.

SINGAPORE, March 16. A local Filipino barber yesterday went mad in his shop and attacked a European customer with a knife inflicting many wounds. He then cut his own throat with a razor. His condition is critical.

## COMPANY MEETING.

## GANDE, PRICE &amp; CO., LTD.

PROFIT INCREASES \$24,382.

The 15th ordinary annual meeting of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., Ltd., was held at the Company's office, No. 8, Queen's Road Central, at noon to-day.

The Hon. Mr. Lai Chiu-pak presided, and there were present Messrs. S. C. Pank, C. H. Lyson and Lan Pong-wing (directors), Mr. C. Bond, (Secretary) and Messrs. J. J. Blake, D. Ramjahn, Leung Yau-po, Pang Kwok-ni, Pang Kwok-fat and S. Yamachi (shareholders).

The Chairman read the report as follows:—

Gentlemen—It is past the hour for which this meeting was called, there is a quorum present, and the Secretary has read the notice convening the meeting. The report and accounts having been in your hands for the prescribed period, I will, with your permission, follow the usual procedure and take them as read. The net profit for the year under review is \$40,544.86, which I am pleased to say, is an increase of \$24,382.25 over that of the previous year, and taking into consideration that business generally during the past year has been exceptionally bad throughout the Far East, your Directors are of opinion that the Balance Sheet as placed before you is a very creditable one, and they trust that it will meet with the approval of the shareholders. The net profit of \$40,544.86, together with the balance of \$2,712.86 brought forward from credit of Profit and Loss Account for 1920, makes a total credit of \$43,257.72 which your Directors recommend to be disposed of as follows: To pay a dividend of \$1—per share on 18,105 shares, which will absorb \$18,105; to write off Goodwill account \$10,000; transfer to General Reserve Account \$10,000; and carry forward the balance of \$5,152.72 to this year's account. I think, Gentlemen, you will agree with me that it is a wise precaution to further strengthen our General Reserve Account and write down our Goodwill Account as it enables us to meet any unforeseen emergency that may happen in the future, especially, as business has been practically at a standstill during the past two months. In conclusion, I wish to thank the management on behalf of the Directors and shareholders for the able manner in which they have looked after our interest, and I trust that the staff will continue to work as assiduously in the future as they have done in the past. With these few remarks I have much pleasure in proposing the Report and Statement of Accounts.

In seconding the adoption of the report and account, Mr. Blake said that he thought much credit was due to staff for the hard working manner in which they had performed their various duties during the past twelve months without which willingness it would have been impossible to present such a satisfactory report as the Chairman had read. The staff was an old and faithful one which had always worked hard to forward the Company's business. (Applause).

The motion was carried. Mr. C. H. Lyson was unanimously re-elected a director of the Company on the proposal of Mr. Bond seconded by Mr. Blake.

Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews were re-elected auditors for the ensuing year at a remuneration of \$750 on the proposal of Mr. Pank, seconded by Mr. Leung Yau-po.

Mr. Blake said that some time ago the directors had voluntarily given up their fees, and in view of the Company's position now he had much pleasure in proposing that the meeting vote the return of the Directors' fees, and increase them from \$500 to \$750 each.

Mr. Bond seconded and the motion was carried.

A bonus of 10 per cent. on their year's salaries, having been voted by the staff, the meeting terminated with the announcement that dividend warrants were ready for issue.

## FOOTBALL.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS.

## TO-MORROW'S GAMES.

The following is the programme for to-morrow:—

## SHIELD COMPETITION.

## SEMI-FINAL.

R.G.A. v. Police, Club ground. Kick off at 4.30 p.m. sharp. Referee, Mr. Newton.

## LEAGUE.

## FIRST DIVISION.

"Titania" v. Kowloon, Kowloon ground. South China v. Tamar, Chinese ground. "Ambrose" v. Club, Navy "B" ground. "Cairo" v. King's, Navy "A" ground. Kick off at 4.30 p.m.

## SECOND DIVISION.

United v. Kowloon, United ground. St. Joseph's v. Chinese "A" S. Joseph's ground. R.G.A. Res v. University, Sookumpoo ground. Club Res v. "Carlew" Res, Club ground.

The Referees' controversy has now been settled and one is pleased to hear that all combined to straighten matters out in an amicable manner, and that the Association went back on their former decision and decided to support the Referees.

The semi-final in the Shield Competition should provide some good football. The Police team understand will be strengthened by the inclusion of Grimmer at outside right. It is rather a pity that this player has not turned out more often this season. He will certainly improve the attack. The R.G.A. team will be the same that defeated the "Durban." A very even game should be seen and if Swan is at his best I should not be surprised if the Police enter the final. In any case I do not anticipate more than a one goal victory for either side.

In the League the "Titania" return to football after some weeks' absence when they meet the Kowloon team on the latter's ground. A win for the Sailors is expected.

A good game should be seen on the Chinese ground. The home team have their centre forward under suspension and it will be interesting to see who they play in his place. The Sailors will be without Grant. A draw is a likely result of the match.

"Ambrose" meet the Club. The latter will be without J. Rodger and Kuhl. I expect to see them win by a small margin.

"Cairo" also return to League football after several weeks' absence. They will field practically a new team. They should however give the Soldiers a good game, but I fancy the latter will annex the points.

The Second Division have four matches down to be played and I expect United to win their game, also the Chinese Res. The St. Joseph's-Chinese match will most probably end in a draw. If the Club Res. turn out a full team they should give the "Carlew" a second string a good game. A win for the former will not come as a surprise.

## OFFSIDE.

## UNFRIENDLY FRI-ND.

## ATTEMPTED FALSE PRETENCES EXCUSE.

A Chinese was charged before Magistrate Lindell this morning with having attempted to obtain goods from the Tai Loy confectionery shop by false pretences. Evidence was given that the accused went to the shop, and presenting a chit purporting to have come from Mr. White, of the Zealand House private hotel, asked for one tin of milk, one tin of oranges and one bottle of vinegar. The shop assistant's suspicion was aroused by the unusually small order, and in the absence of the passenger which Mr. White invariably used. He had the accused detained while he telephoned to Mr. White who declared the chit to be forged. Accused said that the chit was given to him by a friend who told him to get the goods. This friend had now returned to the country. Magistrate: Since last night? Yes. You are convicted. Four weeks.

## SHATIN SHOOTING.

## INQUIRY CLOSING.

## MR. SHENTON'S ADDRESS.

## "A STAB AT CIVILISATION."

"If cases such as we are now inquiring into are not dealt with drastically then the law is a dead letter and civilisation in this colony may just as well cease to exist. Once you get the law disregarded in this way no one can tell where it will end." So declared Mr. W. E. L. Shenton in his address to the jury when the Shatin Shooting inquiry was resumed this morning at the Magistracy before Mr. J. R. Wood. Mr. Shenton, who is appearing in the interests of the police officers concerned, suggested that they had already arrived at a state of facts that there was an unlawful assembly. The point he had to satisfy them of now was that this unlawful assembly became a riotous assembly—furthermore that the shooting that was done to prevent a violent crime. There was no doubt that where there was an unlawful assembly force might be used to disperse it; the only question for the jury to decide was whether the force used was reasonable.

There were many factors which the jury should take into consideration. They had to consider the conditions in the Colony and the general situation at the time. There was a general strike; there was wholesale intimidation of a criminal nature, there had been a foul murder on the Praya and a violent stabbing attack. They were entitled to consider the attitude of the Government with reference to the strike. They regarded it as a very grave crisis in the Colony and for that purpose they passed what he should think was as drastic legislation as it was possible to pass. He referred to the special Emergency Ordinance which, in effect, took away the liberty of the subject. The Colony was really placed on a war footing. It was decided that no Chinese should be allowed to leave the Colony without a pass and that that pass would not be granted until the circumstances were inquired into. It was the cornerstone of the Government's policy that Chinese should not be allowed to leave the Colony during this crisis without a pass. Mr. Shenton was referring to the calling in of the regular forces and other precautions similar to those taken during the war when the Coroner interrupted: "You will agree, Mr. Shenton, that the only law applicable to the circumstances is the ordinary common law?"

Mr. Shenton said that that was so. His purpose was merely to direct the jury's attention to the conditions prevailing at the time.

The Coroner: I only want to prevent the jury from thinking that the ordinary law was superseded.

Proceeding, Mr. Shenton said that this assembly was a direct challenge to the Government of the Colony and to the State and to the special legislation which the Government had seen fit to pass. "In other words," he declared, they said "Makase the Government—we will go! It stabs at the vital principles of civilisation. I go as far as this—to suggest to this inquiry that this direct challenge to the Government is more serious than the ordinary crimes of arson, assault and cases of that nature. If cases such as we are now inquiring into are not dealt with drastically then the law is a dead letter and civilisation in this Colony may just as well cease to exist. Once you get the law disregarded in this way no one can tell where it will stop."

Mr. Shenton went on to refer to the forces at Mr. King's disposal and the precautions taken for preventing this assembly. He contended that these precautions were those of a reasonable man would take to deal with the situation that Mr. King expected to meet. Mr. King's scheme would have been entirely successful had it not been for the breaking down of the motorbuses used for conveying the troops. At the waterworks every possible course was taken to disperse the assembly but firing and rather than do that Inspector Pitt decided to let them go on, hoping that reinforcements would arrive later. Mr. Shenton submitted that the crowd started out with the idea and knowledge that there would be some show of military force to stop them.

Discussing the actual shooting at Shatin Mr. Shenton pointed out a number of factors which Mr. King was entitled to take into consideration in deliberately giving orders to fire. What would have been the result if he had not given that order? The mob would have been flushed with success and there would have been a stampede. Undoubtedly there would have been a very much greater loss of life as, when they passed the police, they would have gone into open country. It

## DESPERATE BURGLAR.

## EUROPEAN WOUNDED WITH JEMMY.

## EARLY MORNING ATTACK.

Awakened about 3.20 yesterday morning by a noise in his room, Mr. Summers of "The Bungalow," Taikoo, saw a Chinese breaking open his wardrobe. Mr. Summers immediately jumped out of bed to grab the man, who swung round, and striking him under the chin with the jemmy he was using caused a wound one inch long and half an inch deep. Before Mr. Summers could recover his wits the intruder rushed into the bathroom and escaped through the window into the road. The burglar had gained admittance into Mr. Summers' room by forcing the lock on the bathroom door.

## LOCAL BOXING.

## FORTHCOMING NOVICES TOURNAMENT.

The Hongkong Boxing Association announces, in an advertisement in another part of this issue, its forthcoming novices' tournament at the City Hall. Originally arranged for March 31 and April 1, it has now been found necessary to extend the tournament over three nights owing to the large number of entries received. Over a hundred candidates have entered, for all classes except the Flyweights, but as entries from H.M.S. "Titania" have not yet been received, it may be possible that there may be sufficient entries for this class also. The dates fixed for the tournament are now March 30 and 31, and April 1. The finals will be fought on the last day, as well as contests for the Middle and Featherweight Championships of the Colony, between C.P.O. Callaghan (H.M.S. "Ambrose") and A.B. Dunnan (H.M.S. "Mignolia") in the first and Teddy Neal and A.B. Chadwick (H.M.S. "Marazion") in the other. Both promise to be excellent fights, as the contestants all have good records. Members will be admitted to the tournament free on the first two nights only, on production of current membership cards. For the final night, tickets may be had as usual at Mountie's, members on Monday, March 27, and general public on Tuesday March 28, when unreserved tickets for the first two nights will also be obtainable.

would then have required a very big force to stop them and this would have entailed much more shooting.

The Coroner: If they had scattered would they have been lawfully shot?

Mr. Shenton: I think they undoubtedly would.

The Coroner: Once they are scattered they are dispersed and I am very doubtful whether any more shooting would have been justified.

Continuing Mr. Shenton said he did not think there was any doubt that the crowd was both violent and turbulent at the time the shooting took place. "It is all very well," he said "to sit here in the quietude of the Court after the events have passed. I ask you what you would have done? Would you have done what Mr. King has done? I do not think there would be any doubt but you would."

"I do suggest to this inquiry," said Mr. Shenton in concluding, "that the police acted with the very greatest discretion and forbearance. They acted humanely throughout and I am in this respect almost inclined to think myself that they went beyond what they were really entitled to do—the shooting could quite properly have been done before it was. But they used their forbearance and only ordered the firing when things had got to the stage that there was nothing left to be done. They acted under circumstances of the greatest difficulty and I may say that I think the police acted in the way that one would expect people charged with these duties to act in circumstances such as these."

Mr. Shenton submitted a number of questions which he thought the Coroner might be prepared to put to the jury and Mr. Wood replied that he should instruct the jury that it was their duty to return a verdict and that the answering of any question was entirely optional for them.

The Crown Solicitor (Mr. Wake-man) intimated that he did not wish to be heard and the Coroner then announced that the jury proposed to visit the scene this afternoon and desired Sgt. Dodling and Mr. King's house-boy to accompany them as witnesses representing the police and the Chinese respectively. The inquiry was adjourned to 2.15 p.m. on Monday when the Coroner will sum up to the jury.



LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Liangchow, (B. & S.) from Canton.  
Chekiang, (B. & S.) from Canton.  
Georgi, (R.V. Fiat) from Swatow.  
Cordillere, (M. M. Cie.) from Mar-  
seille, Haiphong.  
Pine Tree State, (Admiral Line)  
from Seattle, Shanghai.  
Hosei Maru, (M.B.K.) from Canton.  
Tenri Maru, (M.B.K.) from  
Yayeyama.  
Mogami Maru, (M.B.K.) from  
Canton.

CLEARANCES.

Tenri Maru, (M.B.K.) for Canton.  
March 16.  
Sinkiang, (B. & S.) for Shanghai.  
March 16.  
Hosei Maru, (M.B.K.) for Takao.  
March 16.  
Hydrangea, (Chin On S. S. Co.) for  
Swatow.—March 16.  
Cheong Shing, (J.M. & Co.) for  
Canton.—March 16.  
Rotti, (J.C.L.) for Kobe via  
Shanghai.—March 16.  
Mike Maru, (Lupique & Co.) for  
Port Paracel.—March 17.  
Foo Lee, (Yee Tai Hong) for  
Dairen.—March 17.  
Kashing, (B. & S.) for Tientsin.  
March 17.  
Shashi, (B. & S.) for Ningpo.  
March 17.  
Ouma, (Dodwell & Co.) Shanghai.  
March 17.  
Cordillere, (M.M.W.) for Yokohama,  
via Shanghai.—March 17.  
Yeboshi Maru, (N.Y.K.) for  
Yokohama, via Kobe.—March 17.  
Hermelin, (Soo Seng S.S. Co.) for  
Saigon, via Swatow.—March 17.  
Hag Sarg, (J.M. & Co.) for Can-  
ton.—March 17.  
Hozur Maru, (N.Y.K.) for Keelung  
via Swatow.—March 17.  
Shan Shing, (Po On Co.) for K. C.  
Wan.—March 17.  
Sunning, (B. & S.) for Canton.  
March 17.  
Mogami Maru, (M.B.K.) for Ke-  
lung.—March 17.  
Van Overstraten, (J.C.L.) for  
Amoy.—March 17.  
Daiboshi Maru, (Dodwell & Co.) for  
Chirwantao.—March 17.  
Busho Maru, (O.S.K.) for Singapore  
via Swatow.—March 17.  
Harold Dollar, (Dodwell & Co.) for  
Vancouver via Shanghai.—March 17.  
Fuching, (J.M. & Co.) for Bangkok  
via Swatow.—March 17.  
Sui Lik, (Fock Ho) for Shan Mi.  
March 16.  
Kashima Maru, (N.Y.K.) for Yok-  
ohama via Kobe.—March 18.  
Kalgan, (B. & S.) for Singapore via  
Swatow.—March 18.  
Selun, (Thoresen & Co.) for Dalay  
via Newchwang.—March 18.  
Traica, (Dodwell & Co.) for Trieste  
via Saigon.—March 18.

Two fatal cases of plague, both  
Chinese, were notified yesterday.

Visiting China.—Mr. Edward D.  
Kilburn, Vice-President and General  
Manager of the Westinghouse Electric  
and Manufacturing Company arrived  
in Shanghai March 7 on the s.s. "Pine  
Tree State" and will spend some time  
in China. Mr. Kilburn after graduat-  
ing from Cornell University  
secured a position in the Syracuse  
Office of the Westinghouse Electric  
and Manufacturing Company. Later  
he was associated with the  
Westinghouse Machine Company,  
in its branch office at New  
Haven, Connecticut. In 1915  
Mr. Kilburn returned to the  
Westinghouse Electric and Manu-  
facturing Company in the capacity of  
Manager of the Power Division of the  
New York office. In 1916 he  
was also given the management  
of the Railway and Lighting  
Divisions and in March 1917 became  
manager of the New York district  
office, in which capacity he served  
until his present connection with the  
Westinghouse Electric International  
Company as Vice-President and  
General Manager.

TO-DAY'S  
ADVERTISEMENTS

JAVA PACIFIC LIJN.  
S.S. "TJISALAK"

CONSIGNEES of cargo from America  
are hereby informed that their  
cargo which was loaded at Shanghai by  
above ship, will be brought to Hong-  
kong by a.s. "Tjibodas" due on or  
about the 24th instant.

JAVA CHINA JAPAN LIJN.  
Hongkong, March 16, 1922.

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CONSIGNEES of cargo from Nether-  
lands are hereby notified  
that their cargo which was overlanded  
to Shanghai by above ship, will be  
brought to Hongkong by a.s. "Tjibodas"  
due about the 1st April.

JAVA CHINA JAPAN LIJN.  
Hongkong, March 16, 1922.

TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

VISIT OF H.R.H. THE PRINCE  
OF WALES.  
ILLUMINATIONS.

IN connection with the above it is re-  
quested that all members of the  
community who desire to participate in  
the illumination of the Colony and who  
have not yet ordered their lanterns will  
communicate without delay with Mr. C.  
Montague Edwards, 3 & 4, Queen's Build-  
ings, stating the number of lanterns  
they wish to order. Two candles will  
be supplied with each lantern—one for  
each night. Envelopes should be  
marked "LANTERNS."  
Hongkong, March 17, 1922.

WANTED.

WANTED—(1) A Senior Anglo-  
Chinese Master.  
(2) A Vernacular Master.  
In future Chinese will be compulsory  
for all boys. There is thus an oppor-  
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School.  
Applications should be sent as soon  
as possible to the Headmaster.

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1. Field Day, Sunday, March 19.  
The Field Day will take place on  
Sunday, 19th March.  
The luncheon will leave Murray Pier  
at 9.00 and call at Kowloon at 9.10.  
Time will be provided after the  
operations.  
Dress: Rifle and Equipment, Haver-  
sack, Water-bottle filled, Helmets.  
30 rounds of blank ammunition per  
man.  
Greatcoats will be taken and left on  
the luncheon.
2. Parades.  
Infantry Drill, Bayonet Fighting  
and Lewis Gun Instruction will take  
place on Monday, 20th instant at  
Volunteer Headquarters, and Kowloon  
Docks on Friday, 24th instant, at 5.30  
p.m. for Trained men and Recruits.  
Dress: Plain Clothes.
3. Musketry.  
Part II of the Annual Musketry  
Course will be fired by the Reserve  
Company and Cadets of Nos. 1 and 2  
Platoons on 26th instant at Stone-  
cutters Range, commencing at 10 a.m.  
A luncheon will leave Murray Pier at  
9.00 a.m.  
Dress: Drill Order.  
Officer for duty: Lieut. G. M.  
Dodwell.
4. Machine Gun Company.  
Machine Gunners, Instructional  
Parades will be held at Headquarters  
on Monday, 20th and Friday, 24th  
instant, at 5.30 p.m.  
Dress: Drill Order.
5. Mounted Infantry Section.  
Parade at Polo Ground, Causeway  
Bay on Friday, 24th instant, at 5.15  
p.m.  
Dress: Plain Clothes.
6. Cadet Company.  
Parade at Volunteer Headquarters  
on Monday, 20th instant at 5.20 p.m.  
Dress: Drill Order.
7. The 20 rounds S.A.A. per man  
and Revolver Ammunition issued  
during the Strike will be returned to  
Store as early as possible.  
R. B. YOUNG, Major,  
Adjutant, H.V.D. Corps.  
Hongkong, Friday, March 17, 1922.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received  
instructions to sell by Public  
Auction,

FRIDAY,  
March 24, 1922, commencing at 2.30  
p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
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Chinese Porcelains, Curios,  
Lacquered Ware, &c., &c.,  
Including a variety of 5-coloured  
and 3-coloured Vases and Jars, Wall  
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Screens, Tables, Ivory Ware, Jade,  
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HUGHES & HUGHES,  
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Hongkong, March 17, 1922.

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Thursday, Friday & Saturday.  
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return of subsequent cargoes.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
17th March, 1922.

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THE Undersigned have received instruc-  
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Hongkong, March 17, 1922.

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Per "TOTTORI MARU" due  
Hongkong 8th April.  
From KOBE, Ex "TANGOMARU"  
& "CALCUTTA MARU"  
Per "AWA MARU" due Hongkong  
20th March.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, March 13, 1922.

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11, Charter Road. Phone 1500.SHATIN SHOOTING  
INQUIRY.FURTHER EVIDENCE FROM  
MR. KING.

At the Shatin shooting inquiry yesterday afternoon, after Sub-Inspector Fild and an Indian constable had given evidence, Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Kowloon, was recalled.

The Coroner: When you made your plans on the 2nd inst. what alternative had you?

Mr. King: I had no alternative in my mind. My plan was made on the night of the 2nd and early on the 3rd I was adopting the plan that had been followed in the New Territories on the previous occasions.

Did you ever employ the military before? Yes, in the New Territories. Where had they been posted as pickets? At various points under the charge of Mr. Burlingham. Mr. Burlingham had had men under his control for two days previously.

What were the soldiers required for? My information was that a big body of men was going out of the Colony. My general instructions were given to me on the afternoon of the 2nd. It was left to my discretion to use the military if necessary.

Then why did you decide that military assistance was necessary? I had not enough men to cope with the situation. The Police were working hard on other duties. I think I ought to add that it is no exaggeration to say that the police were working 50 per cent. over-time.

On your information why didn't you interfere with the crowd at the Po Hing Theatre? I interfered as soon as I could.

Why not at the Po Hing Theatre? I had information that they were going to assemble on the Hongkong side. We didn't know exactly.

Couldn't you have sent troops out by rail? Not with the limited train service. I considered the best way to get the troops out was by bus. I would like to add that in accordance with my original intention, I hoped to round these people up by 8 a.m. and my last words as I left the house were that I would be back at 9 a.m.

Couldn't you have used the fire engine and hose on the mob? That was not impossible, though I do not know whether the engine carried sufficient piping to carry the water from the Waterworks to the road. My did not anticipate any trouble. My original estimate was for 600 men.

Did you try to handle the crowd by any other way than by word of command? I used no command. I was talking to them, "exhorting" is the word I used in my original report.

Could you not have got a more suitable spot to talk to them?—Where I was talking to them four or five hundred could see, if not hear.

Could you not have had a better spot at bottom of the hill?—No, if I had done that the mob would have thought that they had the police in retreat. The level ground that you talk about is at the tenth milestone. The other point is that once this mob got into the open they would absolutely get out of control.

They would have the chance of scattering?—Yes, across the hills.

The point you speak of is three miles further on?—Yes. Another point is that the troops had marched from about the second milestone for between four and five miles, much of it at the double. If they had gone much further they would have been finished before they got to the crowd.

The Coroner remarked that the soldiers who actually confronted the crowd got there by motor-car. He then asked: How far back from the front of the crowd do you think your words went when you told them that you would have to shoot?—I should say about 20 rows. Parts of my conversation were taken up by men between ten and twenty rows back, from the answers they threw at me.

And you think you were heard by 500 men?—No, not quite 500; about 200. There may have been some persons who may not have heard my warning. Of course, the main body of the crowd were safe behind the bend. I did all I could. I had made up my mind that I was not going to let them pass if I could possibly help it, and I was going to carry out my instructions.

And that was to stop them from leaving the Colony?—Yes. You mean to say that to stop them you were prepared to shoot?—Failing all other means, I was prepared to shoot.

Then I think it is correct to say that the shooting took place, not as the result of trying to secure the arrest of one of the crowd, but as a means of saving yourself from personal injury?—I do not agree there; I had also other reasons namely: To procure the arrest of one of the men and to save my forces from personal injury.

This man in the crowd, when you seized him, was he ten rows back?—No, he was about four rows back. He stretched out his hand with the intention of hooking him out. My intention was to do the same with the second man, if I could have got him.

Did you intend to prosecute him if you had arrested him?—That was not in my mind. I only wanted to get this man out of the crowd. At the time I was trying to gain time until the troops arrived. If we had to fall back with 60 men I could have held the gap where the Sepoys were stationed. My plan may have worked successfully until these two men got out of control.

Their shouts and encouragements took the crowd at once, and I saw that unless I could reach these two men at once they would hold the mob. I seized the front man and intended to hand him out. I said to Inspector Pitt: "Here, Pitt, take this man out of the crowd." I felt if I could get him the others would keep quiet.

Mr. Shenton: You have only one motor fire engine in Kowloon?

Mr. King: Yes. Mr. Shenton: So that Kowloon would have been left at the mercy of a serious outbreak of fire if that engine had been taken out?—With the exception of a hand engine and the street hydrants.

There is no sea-water until you get to the tenth milestone?—There is a stream at the ninth milestone.

Where you did hold them there was no water?—There was none.

But if he had not escaped he would have been prosecuted?—As far as I know, yes.

## OUR FINANCES.

YESTERDAY'S COUNCIL  
MINUTES.

Following yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council the Finance Committee met to consider the following financial recommendations by H.E. the Governor:—

\$3,500 in aid of the vote, Harbour Master's Department, Personal Emoluments.

Chairman: This sum of \$3,500 is required for the salary of an acting assistant marine surveyor during the absence of the permanent holder of the post. It represents ten months' salary at \$350 a month.

Approved.  
\$1,180 in aid of the vote Charitable Services, Other Charitable Allowances.

The Chairman: This sum is required for a charitable gratuity to the widow of a Government servant who was on the temporary establishment and it represents one month's salary for every three years' service.

Approved.  
\$3,560 in aid of the vote Crown Solicitor's Office, Personal Emoluments.

The Chairman: This sum is required to pay an increase of salary to the Assistant Crown Solicitor from the 1st January to the 31st December 1922. It has been approved by the Secretary of State.

Approved.  
\$850 on account of Miscellaneous Services, Transport and Subsistence of Lunatics.

The Chairman: This sum is required to supplement the vote for transport and subsistence of lunatics, which was insufficient. One such charge at present appears under "Charitable Services" but in future estimates it will be brought under the general vote above-mentioned.

Approved.

Mr. King then added: I am not responsible for firing the fourth round. The Coroner: There is one more question. You thought you had to deal with an ordinary Chinese crowd?

—Yes. Did you expect to find any ring-leaders in them?—No.

Do you think that the attitude of the crowd was made dangerous by these two ring-leaders?—I do.

This concluded the evidence and Mr. Shenton, appearing in the interests of the police, proceeded to address the jury. One of the main issues, he pointed out, was whether the death of the man Tam Shui Pin was due to manslaughter or to justifiable homicide. Mr. Shenton argued that according to the law of the colony the crowd had committed offences in that it was: (1) an unlawful assembly; (2) guilty of a riotous assembly; (3) guilty of a criminal conspiracy; (4) engaged in direct and preconcerted contravention of the laws of the Colony; (5) guilty of an assault on the police; (6) it obstructed the police in the course of their duty; (7) it disobeyed the lawful orders of the police; (8) it was guilty of a breach of the peace; (9) it completely defied the Government of the Colony and did its utmost to hold the Government up to contempt and ridicule; (10) it was guilty of releasing a person under arrest by a police officer.

Referring to the unfortunate absence of direct legal precedents on the point Mr. Shenton said it came to this: that the man who directed the firing had to take into consideration all the circumstances, and afterwards it was for an inquiry such as this to say whether he was justified or not.

Mr. Shenton had not concluded his address when the inquiry was adjourned to-day.

## FUNERAL.

## SIR HENRY MAY.

The funeral of late Sir Henry May took place at Clare Church, Suffolk, on February 10. By his express wish his body was cremated and the ashes buried at the top of Clare Priory ground which is a part of the service estate. The first part of the service was held in Clare Church, and was conducted by Canon Vatcher R.D., vicar, assisted by Bishop Lander (late Bishop of Victoria, Hongkong) and the Rev. A. Webbing, vicar of Stansfield and Podingford. There were present: Lady May (widow), Captain and Mrs. F. de Fonblanque (son-in-law and daughter), Miss Phoebe May, Miss Iris May (daughters), Major General Sir Edward May and Dr. Gould May (brothers), Mr. Charles Dalton (nephew), Mr. W. H. Elwes (cousin), Mr. T. Hough, Mr. Cecil Clementi, Newton Stabb, Mr. Major Hawkins (representing the 4th King's Shropshire Light Infantry) Colonel Darley, Dr. Light Infantry Colonel Darley, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Metcalfe, Mr. Armstrong, Mrs. Vatcher, Lady Loch, Mrs. Majendie, Mrs. Deacon, Mrs. Proby, and the Rev. Felix Bull. Many beautiful wreaths were sent.

## YARN MARKET REPORT.

Messrs Polishwalla and Kotwall, cotton and yarn brokers, reported as follows yesterday:—

Since our last report on January 31st per Str. "Kashmir," the prolonged seamen strike had, during this long interval, greatly paralyzed entire business, so our yarn market had remained extremely dull and only small lots changed hands for urgent requirements at a decline of \$3 to 7 per bale, with business resulting in about 4000 bales.

The unusual feature in direct exportation from Shanghai to Canton, number of Indian yarn to Canton, which was supplied at lower rates than those ruling at our place, has further affected our market, which has, at the close, kept very inactive.

As the seamen strike is now entirely settled and business is assuming its normal aspect, we have every hope of a good inquiry from Yunnan Provinces especially from consuming districts to the present depressed state of our market.

Unroted stocks 2,600 bales.

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## SPORT.

## LAWN TENNIS.

## H.E.C.C. TOURNEY.

Yesterday afternoon there was another big programme of games in connection with the H.E.C.C. tennis tournament, and some keen struggles were witnessed. The chief "draw" was the match between Wong Po-keung and M. K. Lo in the open championship singles. They were well matched and it was anybody's game from start to finish. Both players declined to take much risk, with the result that the game suffered a little in interest. There was some excitement in the last set when Lo made a fine rally and looked like prolonging the game by making two sets all, but Wong was playing with determination and refused to allow the victory to slip through his fingers. He won by 7-5, 4-6, 6-4, 9-7. Wong qualified for the third round as the result of this match.

The other results were: Open Singles.—Capt. P. H. Davies beat D. S. Green (son of our old champion) 6-2, 6-1, 6-1.

Handicap Singles "A".—A. Breauxley (+2-6) beat B. Evans (-1-6), 6-1, 6-3.

Handicap Doubles.—R. M. Smith and F. A. Dinsdale (-1-6) beat Pay Com. F. Vining and G. W. Sewell (-2-6), 6-4, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles.—H. A. Nott and Miss Wentworth (sister) beat H. S. Bennett and Mrs. A. G. Simpson (+15-1) 9-7, 2-6, 6-3; Lt. A. S. Lindell and Mrs. A. S. Lindell (-15) beat N. L. Smith and Mrs. N. L. Smith (+2-6) 6-4, 2-6, 6-4; G. E. Ellams and Mrs. C. B. Brown (+15) beat G. H. Wilson and Mrs. A. E. Grimbale (-15) 6-1, 6-4.

Handicap Doubles.—J. R. Lloyd and Mrs. J. R. Lloyd (+3-6) beat Major J. B. Lloyd and Mrs. Winslow (-15), 6-8, 7-5, 6-0; Surg. Lt. G. H. Hayes and Dr. G. Turner (-4-6) beat Major P. S. Tomlinson and Mrs. Verral (-3-6) 6-2, 2-6, 6-0.

## TODAY'S MATCHES.

Open Singles.—T. Lay v. S. A. Ramjahn; O. Ramjahn v. L. Nelson.

Open Doubles.—J. Rodger Junr. and G. Rodger v. R. K. Valentine and D. J. Valentine.

Handicap Singles "A".—Major J. R. Lloyd v. Capt. P. H. Davies.

Handicap Singles "B".—Pay Com. F. Vining v. F. M. Ellis; B. Crowley v. J. W. Moran.

Handicap Doubles.—G. H. Wilson and C. D. Lambert v. C. C. Stark and B. D. C. Morgan.

Mixed Doubles.—J. B. Penman and Mrs. Armstrong v. C. G. Perdue and Mrs. Cavalier; F. A. Redmond and Mrs. Lawes v. G. W. Sewell and Miss H. Irving.

## F. DIES' TENNIS.

L.R.C., U.S.R.C., and PEAK CLUB.

This triangular match was played off at the U.S.R.C. on Wednesday. It resulted in a narrow victory for the L.R.C. by 4 games. This Club thus makes the shield its own property, having won it three times in succession. Mrs. Delacombe and the L.R.C. ladies were "at home" to their friends and some very fine tennis was witnessed.

The results were as follows:—Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Brooke won all their matches and scored 23 games out of 44.

L.R.C. Mrs. Haslam and Mrs. McCrum lost only one match and scored 24 games. Total 53 games.

Mrs. Bowden Smith and Mrs. Stern won two matches and lost two, scoring 24 games.

U.S.R.C. Mrs. R. E. and Mrs. A. S. Lindell also won two and lost two, and scored 25 games.

Total 49 games. Mrs. Bevington and Mrs. Sayer lost all their matches and scored 12 games.

PEAK CLUB. Mrs. Grimbale and Mrs. N. L. Smith won one and lost three, scoring 18 games.

Total 30 games.

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## CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNEY.

Billiard enthusiasts were treated to a fine exhibition at the Victoria Recreation Club last night when L. Osmond and W. Pitt met in the second round of the tournament for the championship of the Colony.

They both opened well, and the game looked like proving a strenuous contest to the very end, but Osmond soon forged ahead. Making no mistakes and giving away very little to his opponent, Osmond ran game to game after the 100 mark was reached. Scoring consistently, he made the 500 in a little over an hour and a half, and won comfortably by 500-233. Osmond's in-off were very deadly and he was at the top of his form. Pitt played for position, and sacrificed many opportunities to score. Osmond's highest breaks were 44, 43, 33 and 30. Pitt's only good break of 30 was made early in the game, when he still showed up very promisingly.

## LEAGUE CRICKET.

The following teams will represent the H.K.C.C. on Saturday at 2.15 p.m. on grounds as below:—

H.K.C.C. v. 2nd King's Regt., E. Pearce, H.K.C.C. ground.—T. E. Pearce, E. B. S. Dods, Capt. R. Le Fleming, Lieut. N. L. Hammond, H. E. Hollands, E. G. Lammeret, F. C. Miller, E. J. B. Mitchell and F. N. Young.

At Happy Valley on Saturday, at 2.15 p.m., the following will represent K.C.C.:—

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## FOOTBALL.

## CLUB TEAM.

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club in their league match on Saturday, on Navy "A" ground at 4.30 p.m.—G. Rodger, W. Gerrard, and J. Weyman; G. Bamey, A. Forryth, S. Begg, H. MacTavish and E. England.

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 Australia and Manila ..... Arifura  
 SATURDAY, MARCH 18.  
 Straits ..... Sialia  
 Shanghai ..... Kwongse  
 MONDAY, MARCH 20.  
 Straits ..... Banca  
 Shanghai ..... Ichang  
 TUESDAY, MARCH 21.  
 Japan ..... Awa Maru  
 Japan ..... Anyo Maru  
 SATURDAY, MARCH 25.  
 LONDON (Papers only date 15th Feb.) ..... Kalyan  
 Japan and Shanghai ..... Ramo Maru  
 TUESDAY, MARCH 28.  
 Japan and Shanghai ..... Havelland  
 WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29.  
 Straits ..... Wakara Maru  
 THURSDAY, MARCH 30.  
 Straits ..... Hakon Maru  
 Straits ..... Mito Maru

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For FRIDAY, MARCH 17.  
 Amoy ..... Van Overstraten ..... 4 p.m.  
 Swatow and Wuchow ..... Taining ..... 4.30 p.m.  
 Philippine Islands ..... Pine Tree State ..... 5 p.m.  
 Amoy, Shanghai, North China and Japan ..... Torika ..... 5 p.m.  
 Saigon, North China and Japan ..... Samphing ..... 5 p.m.  
 Hobei and Haiphong ..... Rapi Moller ..... 5 p.m.  
 SATURDAY, MARCH 18.  
 "Shanghai and North China" ..... Tienkeng ..... 10 a.m.  
 Japan ..... Kashima Maru ..... 10 a.m.  
 Shanghai, North China and Japan ..... Shizunaka Maru ..... 10 a.m.  
 Swatow, Amoy and Fuchow ..... Arabeaten ..... 11 a.m.  
 Batavia, Bangkok, Calcutta, and ADEN ..... Nansang ..... 2 p.m.  
 Swatow, Amoy and Fuchow ..... Sagami Maru ..... 3 p.m.  
 "Swatow and Bangkok" ..... Victoria ..... 3 p.m.  
 Saigon ..... Chikara ..... 3 p.m.  
 SUNDAY, MARCH 19.  
 Tientsin ..... Ochoenging ..... 9 a.m.  
 Swatow, Amoy and Kooling ..... Kajo Maru ..... 9 a.m.  
 Shanghai and North China ..... Sicilia ..... 9 a.m.  
 MONDAY, MARCH 20.  
 Ningpo and Shanghai and North China ..... Hang Sang ..... 11 a.m.  
 Philippine Islands ..... Longsang ..... 2 p.m.  
 Swatow ..... Fyranang ..... 3 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22.  
 Dairen, Japan and "Victoria B.C." ..... Alabara Maru ..... 9 a.m.  
 Hobei and Haiphong ..... Lokang ..... 9 a.m.  
 Swatow, Amoy and Fuchow ..... Haining ..... Noon.  
 Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and ADEN ..... Kwaisang ..... 2 p.m.  
 "Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central & South America" and "EUROPE via VICTORIA B.C." Registration 5 p.m. Letters 8 p.m. Pine Tree State  
 THURSDAY, MARCH 23.  
 Swatow, Amoy, and Takao ..... Sotha Maru ..... 9 a.m.  
 Philippine Islands, AUSTRALIA and New Zealand via Thursday Island Registration 8.45 a.m. Letters 8.50 a.m. Tago Maru  
 Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central & South America & EUROPE via VAN- COUVER, B.C. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m. Empress of Asia  
 FRIDAY, MARCH 24.  
 Sandakan ..... Himsang ..... 11 a.m.  
 SATURDAY, MARCH 25.  
 Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India, via Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUROPE via MARSEILLES. Registration 5 p.m. Letters 5 p.m. Kamo Maru  
 \*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

## MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The P. & O. s.s. "Benca" left Singa-  
 pore for this port on Mar. 14 at 8 a.m.  
 and is due here on Mar. 20 at about  
 7 a.m.  
 The N.Y.K. s.s. "Ara Maru" Bombay  
 Line) left Kobe for Hongkong via Moji  
 on Mar. 16 and is expected here on Mar.  
 21.  
 The s.s. "Glauco" (Blue Funnel Line)  
 left Shanghai on Mar. 14 for London,  
 Rotterdam and Hamburg via Hongkong.  
 The vessel is due here on Mar. 17 and  
 will arrive at about 7 a.m.  
 The T.K.K. s.s. "Kaituma" ar-  
 rived at Yokohama Mar. 20 and sailed  
 for Hongkong on Mar. 21.  
 The P. & O. s.s. "Kaituma" is ex-  
 pected to arrive at Hongkong on Mar.  
 21.  
 The P. & O. s.s. "Ara Maru" from  
 Hongkong on Mar. 15 and is expected to  
 arrive at Hongkong on Mar. 18.  
 The P. & O. s.s. "Kaituma" from  
 Hongkong on Mar. 15 and is expected to  
 arrive at Hongkong on Mar. 18.

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## MONDAY, 20th March

Will Societies, Clubs, etc., kindly co-operate by keeping this date free?

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Kamo Maru" (Euro-  
 pean Line) left Kobe for Hongkong via  
 Moji and Shanghai on Mar. 16 and is  
 expected here on Mar. 23 and will sail  
 for Europe via Singapore on Mar. 25 at  
 11 a.m.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Wakasa Maru"  
 (Bosai Line) left Bombay for Hong-  
 kong via Singapore on Mar. 12 and is  
 expected here on Mar. 23.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Mito Maru" (Liver-  
 pool Line) left Liverpool for Hongkong  
 via Socar on Feb. 15 and is expected here  
 on Mar. 20.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Hakone Maru"  
 (European Line) left London for Hong-  
 kong via Socar on Feb. 18 and is expected  
 here on Mar. 20.